

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Thomas Ivo Franciscus Herbert Cremers and Sandra Hogg Willigers

Serial No.: 10/596,348 Group Art Unit: 1614

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For: THE COMBINATION OF A SEROTONIN REUPTAKE INHIBITOR AND A HISTAMINE 3 RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST, INVERSE AGONIST OR PARTIAL AGONIST.

Commissioner for Patents August 13, 2009
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR THREE (3) MONTHS

EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir/Madam:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 20, 2009 ("the Office Action"). Applicants hereby request three (3) months extension of time, extending the period for response from May 20, 2009 to August 20, 2009, and submit the fee for such extension. Accordingly, the response is timely filed and Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following:

Amendments to the Claims, reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2,
and

Remarks beginning on page 6.